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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

W. H. Arnold came down from Neely's Landing yesterday to attend to some business matters.

O. J. Snider and L. Schand of Jackson were business visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Louis Rau of Datchtown, accompanied by her son, Elmer, came to the Cape yesterday for a visit with Mrs. L. T. Keller. Mrs. Rau returned to her home yesterday evening, while her son will spend the week in the Cape with his grandparents.

Mrs. Ralph Burge and daughter went to Oran yesterday to spend several days with relatives.

Attorney Wilson Cramer of Jackson spent the afternoon in the Cape on legal matters.

C. W. Rose, the insurance agent, was in Chaffee yesterday on business. J. H. Richardson, the Government revenue official, spent the day in the Cape on business.

Mrs. W. C. La Pierre came over from Jackson yesterday afternoon to do some shopping.

J. M. McElroy is in St. Louis attending to some business matters.

Mrs. Wilson Bain was taken home from St. Francis' Hospital, having recovered from an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. C. M. Morton and son returned from Neely's Landing yesterday where they visited relatives for several days.

Joseph E. Moore, formerly night clerk at the St. Charles Hotel, has informed his friends that he is now a member of the Signal Corps in Fort Leavenworth.

The Georgia Lee passed the Cape early yesterday morning on her weekly trip to St. Louis.

The trial of Clifton Leher, charged with larceny, was continued to this afternoon. Judge Edward D. Hays, attorney of the boy, was unable to appear because of legal matters in the Common Pleas Court.

G. H. Gross left for St. Louis Wednesday evening on the steamer Bald Eagle with 47 head of sheep for market.

See Allison's bid ad. on page six. He is offering some splendid bargains.

Charles Schindler of Perryville was in the city yesterday on business.

Lieut. C. H. McCann of the U. S. navy arrived in the city last night on business pertaining to the Southeast Missouri Navy League.

Louis P. Kern of Ste. Genevieve transacted business in the Cape yesterday.

Thomas M. Smith and a party of friends of Caruthersville spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Dorrah, Mrs. T. M. Dorrah and Miss Nellie Lee Dorrah of Sikeston were in the city yesterday shopping and visiting friends.

Willard Byington and son, Miss Byington and Mrs. Franly and daughter of De Soto were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. Buck and son and Mrs. Chas. Buck and sons of Bloomfield were in the city yesterday shopping.

G. B. Snider of Marble Hill was a business visitor in the Cape yesterday.

S. H. Meyer of the Meyer-Keaton Grocer Co., of Poplar Bluff, arrived in the city last night on business.

J. A. Reyburn of Ironton transacted business in the Cape yesterday.

J. H. Harris of Advance was a business visitor in the Cape Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Huffman Sr., Mrs. Robert Huffman Jr., and Mrs. Alvin Milde of Jackson were in the city yesterday shopping and visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Elizabeth Fletcher of Charleston has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Helen Comer, since Wednesday.

Mrs. F. H. Johnson and daughters of Beaver, Pa., are visiting C. A. Vandivort and family for a few days. Mrs. Johnson is an aunt of Mr. Vandivort.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

State of Missouri, County of Cape Girardeau, ss:

In the Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas, county, Cape Girardeau, in vacation, June 12, 1917.

Minnie E. Nieblack, plaintiff,

vs.

William A. Nieblack, defendant.

The State of Missouri, to above named defendant, greeting.

Now on this 12th day of June, 1917, in May term of Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas, Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, came plaintiff here-

by attorney of record herein before the clerk of said Court and on behalf of plaintiff files petition and affidavit in suit herein, among other matters of action alleging:

The said defendant William A. Nieblack is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him within this State, and it appearing to the satisfaction of this Court that the defendant cannot be summoned in this action:

Whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk of the Court in vacation that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this Court, the immediate object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce and that the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted and now existing by and between plaintiff and defendant, be dissolved.

And it is further ordered that said defendant be and appear in this Court on the first day of the next term thereof to be held at the city of Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, on Monday, the 23rd day of July, 1917, and then and there answer or plead to said petition, or in default therein said petition will be taken and adjudged as confessed, and judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be duly published at least for four consecutive weeks in the Weekly Tribune, a weekly newspaper duly printed, published and circulated in said Cape Girardeau County, and duly designated by plaintiff's attorney, and duly approved by said Clerk as most likely to give notice to defendant, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before said next term of said Court.

Attest: D. A. Nichols, Clerk.
By Zeba Chiles, D. C.

RESOLUTION.

Resolution declaring it necessary to reconstruct Broadway street from the east curb line of Lorimer street to the east curb line of Middle street, in the city of Cape Girardeau, Missouri. It is hereby resolved by the City Council of the city of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, as follows:

That the council deems and declares it to be necessary to reconstruct that part of Broadway from the east curb line of Lorimer street to the east curb

line of Middle street, a distance of 875 feet along which the property feet subject to assessment totals 1488 feet. Said improvement to be done by placing a concrete pavement four and one-half inches in thickness on the present concrete base of said Broadway for said distance, after cleaning and brooming said base.

That said work of improvement be done in accordance with the profile, plans, specifications and estimate of the costs for said improvement of said part of Broadway, prepared by the City Engineer under instructions of the Street & Wharf Committee, and adopted by the City Council on the 28th day of May, 1917, and ordered filed in the office of the City Clerk, and of Ordinance No. 958, a General Ordinance concerning streets, approved July 5, 1911.

That said work be done by contract, and on completion thereof and its acceptance by the council, the cost of said work shall be paid for in special tax bills issued in favor of the contractor against the property liable therefor, in accordance with said Ordinance No. 958 aforesaid; the council deeming it necessary and as a single improvement.

That the City Clerk is hereby instructed to publish this resolution for seven consecutive days in the Daily Tribune, and two consecutive issues in the weekly Tribune, a newspaper published in the city of Cape Girardeau and doing the city printing for said city.

May 28, 1917. Henry Brunke, State of Missouri, County of Cape Girardeau, ss:

I, R. W. Frissell, City Clerk of the city of Cape Girardeau, in said county and State, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing resolution was presented and adopted by the City Council of the city of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, at a special meeting thereof, held May 28, 1917.

May 28, 1917. R. W. Frissell, City Clerk.

KAGE AGAIN NAMED U. S. COMMISSIONER

To Serve Third Term, Beginning July 4, He Is Informed by Department of Justice.

The commission of ex-Mayor Kage as United States Commissioner has been renewed for a period of four years, he was informed yesterday by the Department of Justice in Washington. His present term does not expire, however, till July 4.

Mr. Kage has been the United States Commissioner of this district for eight years, having been appointed under Federal Judge Dyer. The latter announced during the last term of the United States Court in April that he would reappoint Mr. Kage, if he desired to retain the office for another term.

Mr. Kage is perhaps the most efficient and best known United States Commissioner in this district. His appointment for another term is sufficient proof for the fact that he has served with the greatest satisfaction. During the eight years of his commission he has handled many important cases brought before him for preliminary hearing.

His reappointment was recommended by Judge Dyer during the last session of the Federal Court and approved by the Department of Justice of the United States Government.

MAN, 65, CHARGED WITH VIOLATING WHITE SLAVE ACT

J. L. Ward, of Steele, Mo. Bound Over to Federal Grand Jury.

STEPDAUGHTER 16, IS PROSECUTING WITNESS

Prisoner Held In City Jail—Suffered Paralytic Stroke a Week Ago.

Following a preliminary hearing on a charge of violating the Mann White Slave Act, J. L. Ward, former sheriff of Pemiscot County, was bound over to the Federal grand jury in Memphis where he is wanted on the charge. He is being held in the city jail awaiting word from the authorities in Memphis and will be taken to Tennessee as soon as he has sufficiently recovered from an attack of apoplexy which he suffered while a prisoner in the Caruthersville jail.

The prosecuting witness against the aged ex-sheriff is his 16-year old stepdaughter. The warrant which was issued by Assistant United States District Attorney Higgs, charges Ward with taking his stepdaughter from Steele, Mo., to Memphis, Tenn., on several occasions.

Ward, who is 65 years old, is the owner of a hotel in Steele. He was arrested in St. Louis last week and brought back to Pemiscot County by Sheriff Juden, who turned the case over to the Federal authorities. While in the Caruthersville jail, Ward suffered a paralytic stroke, and for several days it was feared he would die. Owing to his weakened condition he was not brought to the Cape till Wednesday evening.

When questioned yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Orchard and United States Commissioner Fred A. Kage, the prisoner denied the charges. He declared the warrant was "spite work" on the part of the relatives of his wife, who were anxious to oust him from his possession in Steele. He denied that he ever accompanied his stepdaughter to Memphis.

Ward was formerly sheriff of Pemiscot County and was known over Southeast Missouri for his fearlessness. At one time he is said to have disarmed two men single-handed who opened fire on him when the sheriff placed them under arrest.

The bond for the prisoner's release was fixed at \$2000, but up to this time Ward has been unable to find a bondsman. He has requested the deputy marshal to let him remain here in jail for several days until he can get a bondsman. He told Orchard that he had more than \$2000 secreted in the ground in the rear of his hotel in Steele, and wired an attorney instructing him to unearth the money and put it up as security for his liberty until he is tried.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of Henry Heider, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, bearing date the 6th day of June, 1917.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to the undersigned for allowance within six months from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the publication of this notice, they will be forever barred.

Charles Blattner, Public Administrator.

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Col. Matt Thinks Frisco Plans To Hornswoggle Us

Goosebone Prophet Says Railroad Officials Look Upon Cape as Being Soft—Sorry to See Old Doc Young Penned—Had Him Picked For Office.

"Well, I see by the paper that the Frisco officials came down, looked over the flock of geese and then slipped us the isch-gabibble sign," remarked Col. Matt Morrison, the goosebone weather prophet, in his midweek discourse on the news of the day.

"It's my opinion that them Frisco officials called on us just to have a good laugh. Whenever I read about any of them coming down here to try and adjust the controversy, as the newspapers always say, I can't keep from laughin'. Whenever the Frisco officials come down here, they come to slip us some wind. They ain't goin' to do nothin', so what's use talkin' about us."

"You know they fetched down a picture of a depot a few weeks ago they said would cost \$35,000. But when we got to investigatin' a little bit, we found it could be built for about \$15,000. I've been sayin' all along that them Frisco officials are goin' to put somethin' over on us, and I guess we might as well give up and let 'em have it, as the girl said when her feller stole a kiss. But take it from me, they got us all sized up as bein' soft."

"I see they're goin' to jam old Doc Young in jail just because he grabbed a hundred dollar bill and flew the coop. If he'd stayed here and kept on grabbin' the change, he'd been elected to office next year. You know it's a shame to dump a man 82 years old in the pen. If I'd been the Judge, I'd jailed the jury for convictin' him."

"It's funny how the law works. The other day a man killed another feller and the jury fined him. I tell you the world's goin' buggs. I can see it every day."

"Well, summer is comin. I told 'em three months ago we wouldn't have any hot weather before the middle of June. When I predicted all these cyclones, the men 'round town said I had bats in my belfry. But I've hit the bull's-eye every prediction this year. You know, lots of people in this here town think they're wise, but if they don't look out they'll be et for spinach. Some call me a dead one, but I'll see lots of 'em planted."

BUTLER COUNTY SUIT COMPROMISED

Litigation Between Estate of Mary Patty and T. N. Caldwell Settled.

The litigation between A. A. Thurman, administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mary Patty of Butler County, and T. N. Caldwell was compromised in the Common Pleas Court yesterday afternoon, when the parties on both sides signed an agreement fixing the provisions under which the settlement was effected.

The compromise was offered before the trial for the recovery of a note which the administrator alleged was due the estate from Caldwell, who managed the business affairs of Mrs. Patty before her death. Caldwell claimed the woman owed him money for the purchase of farm implements and other supplies, and for that reason failed to take up the note after it had matured.

The litigation was settled in the following manner: Caldwell agreed to pay the sum of \$500 to the estate in three installments. The first payment of \$100 is to be made July 1, the second installment of \$200 is due October 1, while the remainder of the sum matures January 1, 1918.

Under the provisions of the compromise the appeal filed by Caldwell from the decision in the first suit brought against him by the Patty heirs, is to be dismissed from the Supreme Court. The appeal was filed after the February term of the Common Pleas Court, in which a deed executed by Mrs. Patty shortly before her death and conveying a farm of 100 acres to Caldwell, was ordered set aside by Judge Snider. Caldwell, through his attorney, Wilson Cramer, attempted to prove that the farm had been given him by Mrs. Patty as recompensation for the work he did for her during the last few years of her life. The deed was contested by Joshua Patty, Mrs. Mary Langley and Mrs. Levie Hudson, children of Mrs. Patty.

CHARLES KOEPEL DIES OF GUNSHOT

Well Known Farmer, Who Shot Self April 20, to be Buried Today.

After six weeks' suffering, Charles Koepel died at St. Francis' Hospital yesterday morning from the wound he inflicted in his chest with suicidal intent April 26, following his failure to reconcile his wife who, with her daughter, had left him a week prior to the shooting. Mr. Koepel was a well-known farmer of near Bainbridge.

The funeral will be held this afternoon. The cortege will leave the Brinkopf Undertaking Co., at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and the body will be interred in the Koepel Cemetery, near Gordonville. Rev. Lohmann of Egypt Mills will say the services at the cemetery.

Mrs. Koepel, who several weeks ago brought a suit for divorce against her husband, made the arrangements for the funeral. She was not at the hospital where her husband expired, but came to the Cape immediately after learning of his death and began making the funeral arrangements. Besides the widow, a daughter, Edna, a stepdaughter, several brothers and stepbrothers survive.

Mr. Koepel, who lived with his brother, William, after his wife had left him, was brought to the Cape a few hours after he had shot himself with a rifle while sitting in front of his home near Bainbridge, but left the institution a week later. He returned to the hospital three weeks after he had shot himself, and was found to be in such a critical condition that little hope was entertained for his recovery. An operation was performed on him last Thursday in a final effort to save his life, but the patient failed to recover.

AGED CONTRACTOR DIED YESTERDAY

Funeral of Fritz Dages Will be Held at Lorimer Cemetery Tomorrow.

Fritz Dages, the veteran contractor, died yesterday morning at his home on South Frederick street, after a few days' illness brought on mainly by old age. Death ensued about 5 o'clock yesterday morning. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon with services at the German Methodist Church.

Mr. Dages was 82 years old, and was one of the oldest residents of the Cape. He was born in Germany and came to the United States at the age of 26. After coming to the Cape he engaged in the manufacture of bricks and is reputed to be the first to make press brick in this part of the State.

Mrs. Dages died four years ago. The couple had ten children, six of whom survive their aged father. They are: August, Anna, Minnie and Albert Dages, who live in the Cape, and Edward Dages and Mrs. Bertha Bender, who reside in Indianapolis, Ind. The latter two arrived here this morning.

DUNKLIN CO. MEN ARE ARRESTED ON FEDERAL CHARGE

Prisoners Brought to Cape By U. S. Officer and Placed In City Jail For Trial.

ACCUSED OF AGITATION AGAINST GOVERNMENT

Will Have Hearing Before Commissioner Kage Saturday—Other Charges Investigated.

Two men of Dunklin County are being held in the city jail pending an investigation by the Federal authorities into their alleged activities against war and the sale of the Liberty Bonds. The two men, J. W. Campbell and Ed Edmondston, were brought here Sunday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal George Orchard, after United States District Attorney Oliver of St. Louis had ordered their arrest.

Complaints were made against Campbell following a speech he is reported to have made at a public gathering in Arbyrd during the latter part of May. Campbell was placed in jail by the sheriff who, in turn, notified the Federal authorities of the remarks accredited to the prisoner.

The two men were brought before United States Commissioner Fred Kage yesterday morning, who set their preliminary hearing for next Sunday. Both Campbell and Edmondston denied having done or uttered anything that could warrant their arrest. Both offered to produce testimony from several hundred witnesses to prove their innocence.

A number of secret service men of the Government have been touring the southeast of the State investigating rumors to the effect that many failed to register on the day fixed by President Wilson. It is said that a number of colored men in the lower counties did not register last Tuesday either not knowing of this duty or being ignorant of their age.

A score of threatening letters are said to have been sent to the colored men in lower counties ordering them to go to the farms and work. Many are believed to have been frightened by the literature and it is presumed that they carried out the order contained in these letters, thereby failing to register as required of every man between the age of 21 and 30.

Kennett and several other towns in Dunklin and adjoining counties were flooded with such letters. All bore the mark K. K. K. The Federal authorities have started an investigation in an effort to locate the writers of the letters, but thus far no arrests have been made in connection with this investigation.

They had been informed of the precarious condition of the father and hurried to his bedside.

Mr. Dages was known in nearly every town of Southeast Missouri. Mayor Henry W. Kiel and City Counselor Charles Dages of St. Louis are his nephews.



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